GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Model Schools under the Eleventh Plan
Singh Shri Pashupati Nath

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the model schools approved by the Government during the Eleventh Five Year Plan for Jharkhand and Bihar have not been set up till date;
(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
(c) the number of model schools approved in Bihar along with their proposed locations and the places where schools have become operational after being set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

(a) : During the Eleventh Five Year Plan, 368 model schools were sanctioned for Bihar and 216 school buildings have been constructed. 89 model schools were sanctioned for Jharkhand and 33 school buildings have been constructed.
(b) : Construction of some of the sanctioned model schools could not be completed due to slow pace of civil works. The scheme has since been delinked from the support of the Government of India with effect from 2015-16 and stands transferred to States/UTs in the light of higher devolution of funds to the States as recommended by the 14th Finance Commission.
(c) : The list of Blocks where 368 model schools have been sanctioned for Bihar is annexed. No model school in Bihar has become operational.
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